

**GEORGIA STATE BOARD OF REGISTRATION
FOR PROFESSIONAL GEOLOGISTS
Board Meeting: January 8, 2009**

A meeting of the Georgia State Board of Registration for Professional Geologists was held on Thursday, January 08, 2009, at the Office of the Division Director, Professional Licensing Boards Division, 237 Coliseum Drive, Macon, Georgia.

The following Board members were present:

William E. Riley, Chairman and Geologist
Jerry M. German, Vice-Chairman Geologist
William Calvin Hayes, Consumer Member
James W. Furlow, Geologist
James L. Kennedy III, Ex- Officio Member
Benjamin S. Persons, Geologist

Others present:

Randall Vaughn, Division Director
Darren Mickler, Executive Director
Jim Cleghorn, Business Analyst
Sandra Mays, Licensing Analyst
Charlotte Mason, Board Support Specialist
Janet Jackson, Assistant Attorney General
Craig Fluck, Senior Consultant, Examination Unit

Chairman William E. Riley, established a quorum was present at 9:32 a.m. and called the meeting to order.

Mr. Furlow made a motion to **approve** the minutes of the October 09, 2008 Board meeting as corrected. Mr. Persons seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.

Mr. German made a motion to enter into **Executive Session** in accordance with O.C.G.A.43-1-2(k) and 43-1-19(h) to deliberate on applications and investigative matters and to receive an investigative report. Mr. Furlow seconded the motion. Voting in favor of the motion were those members present who included Board Members Furlow, German, Hayes, Kennedy, Persons, and Riley. The Board concluded **Executive Session** in order to vote on these matters and to continue with the public session.

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Applications:

Ms. Mays presented Geology applications for Board review. Mr. Furlow made a motion to **approve** applications as presented for licensure. Mr. Kennedy seconded. The motion carried unanimously.

The Board approved the following applicants for licensure by reciprocity:

PG001966 Craig Anthony Bernhoft
PG001967 Michael Glenn Clough
PG001968 Peter Garrett
PG001969 Brian David Gibson
PG001970 Nicholas L Marcelletti
PG001971 Samantha Catherine Budd
PG001972 David Yates Reedy II

Examination

The following applicants were approved to take PART I (Fundamentals of Geology) and Part II (Practice of Geology) of the ASBOG® National Examination:

Bryan Phillip Rood
Jason Spencer Langley
Gregory Edward Pass
Hallie Kay Garrett

The following applicants were approved to take PART I (Fundamentals of Geology) of the ASBOG® National Examination as College Seniors:

Camereon Gaelen Wolfe
Ashley Rene Manning
Kimberly E. Cook
Eleanore Busse
Michael Boatman

The Board **denied** the following applicant pending two years experience or taking Part I and Part II of the ASBOG examination:

Applicant # 1172945

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Carina Danielle O'bara
Justin Micah Meredith
John W. Snyder
Joshua Gihran Nasrallah
Joseph D. Hebert

The following applicants were approved to take Part II (Practice of Geology) of the ASBOG® National Examination:

Daniel Mattox Raines
Marlo Jai Kirby
Lina K. Kodjo –Wayo

The Board **denied** the following applicant to take Part II (Practice of Geology) of the ASBOG® National Examination pending additional documentation:

Applicant # 1029044

The Board **denied** the following reinstatement pending taking Part II of the ASBOG examination:

Applicant # 286348

Mr. Riley made a motion to approve applications licensed since last review. Mr. German seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.

Professional Geologists Licenses Issued Since Last List Reviewed

PG001955	David B Bradley	11-25-2008	Examination
PG001956	Matthew Ryan Howe	11-25-2008	Examination
PG001957	Daniel McMahan Hunter	11-25-2008	Examination
PG001958	Nicholas B Jokay	11-25-2008	Examination
PG001959	Richard Barry Lawhorn	11-25-2008	Examination
PG001960	Robin John McDowell	11-25-2008	Examination
PG001961	Christopher Miles O'Brien	11-25-2008	Examination
PG001962	Jennifer Leigh Pardy	11-25-2008	Examination
PG001963	Jaime Lea Richardson	11-25-2008	Examination
PG001964	Roxie Jessica Turner	11-25-2008	Examination
PG001965	Dawit Desalegan Yifru	11-25-2008	Examination

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Mr. Kennedy made a motion to allow students to sit for the Fundamental Examination prior to graduating after meeting the requirements at the board's discretion in accordance with O.C.G.A. 43-19-12. Mr. Riley seconded. The motion carried unanimously.

Written Correspondence:

James C. Johnson: After reviewing correspondence requesting transmission of application records to another state board, Mr. Furlow **approved** the request for transmission within specified parameters. Mr. Riley seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.

The following staff members presented reports to the Board:

The Board Attorney provided a written status report on cases referred for action.

The Division Director reported on the following items:

- Mr. Vaughn advised the Board that examinations will no longer be administered by the Professional Licensing Board. ASBOG will administer them throughout the state of Georgia.

ASBOG:

Mr. Furlow motioned to accept the ASBOG Foundation's new structure as currently presented by the board. Mr. Hayes seconded. The motion carried unanimously.

Correspondence, Inquiries and Information Items:

The Board reviewed other correspondence and information that did not require a vote or action.

Other Business:

There was no further business, at 11:43 a.m., Mr. Persons moved to adjourn. Mr. Furlow seconded. The motion carried unanimously.

Recorded by Board Secretary

Reviewed by Executive Director

Chairman

These minutes were signed on _____

These minutes were approved on _____